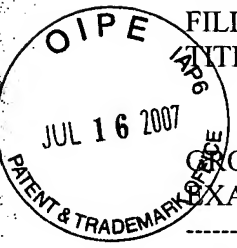


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Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action mailed January 11, 2007, for which a three-month response period ending April 11, 2007 was set. The extended deadline extends through July 11, 2007. Small entity status applies to this application. The fee in the amount of \$510.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee due or credit any overpayment in connection with this communication to Deposit Account No. 04-0838.

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